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MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 25, 2006, applicants elect Claims 1-4, 9-11, 14-18 and 27-31 of Group One, without traverse.

A Petition for a one-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to December 25, 2006.

Respectfully submitted,

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